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INFORMATION DISCLOSURE STATEMENT

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TITLE: "INTERFACE UNIT FOR AN ELECTROPHYSIOLOGY MEASUREMENT SYSTEM"

Assistant Commissioner for Patents,

Washington, D.C. 20231

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In accordance with the provisions of 37 C.F.R. § 1.56, Applicant requests that citation and examination of the following documents be made during the course of examination of the above-referenced application for United States Letters Patent.

AL PCT Application WO98/30145

AM European Application 0 614 678

AN German PS 866 536

EXPLANATION OF RELEVANCE

The above references were cited in a Search Report rendered by the European Patent Office on September 19, 2001. A copy of the European Search Report is submitted herewith.

Since References AL and AM are in English, no further commentary concerning their teachings is necessary. A complete translation of Reference AN is not readily available to the Applicant, however, an English Abstract is attached thereto which constitutes a summary of its teachings.

Copies of each of the above references together with Form 1449 are submitted herewith.

As of the date of mailing of this Information Disclosure Statement, a first Office Action on the merits has not been received in connection with this application. This Information Disclosure Statement is therefore in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), and no fee is necessary.

Should this Information Disclosure Statement cross in the mail with a First Office Action, it is still in compliance with 37 C.F.R. §1.97(c), and no fee is necessary. Accordingly, the undersigned counsel states, pursuant to 37 C.F.R. §1.97(e) that each of the above items was cited in a communication from a foreign Patent Office in a counterpart foreign application not more than three months prior to the filing of this Information Disclosure Statement.

All claims of the application are submitted to be patentable over the teachings of the above references, taken singly or in combination, or in combination with any of the other previously submitted references. Early consideration of the application is therefore respectfully requested.

Submitted by,

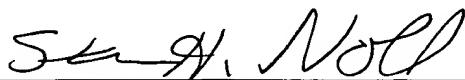
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